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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Honorable Commissioner of
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Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This subject information disclosure statement is submitted in connection with
applicants' continuing duty of disclosure under 37 CFR 1.56.

Listing of Relevant Documents

The relevant documents are listed in the attached Form PTO-1449.

REMARKS

WO/99/01516 is listed in the international search report in category "Y" and found in the
specification on page 1.

U.S. 5,658,431 is listed in the international search report in category "Y". DE 36 41 677
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6,048,945 are listed in the international search report in category "A".

The remaining documents can be found in the specification.

WO 98/24850 = U.S. 6,123,740; DE 1 137 005 = U.S. 3,193,575; EP 380 778 = U.S.
5,534,166; DE 1 619 656 = GB 1,185,861.

A copy of the international search report is attached.

Entry is respectfully solicited.

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